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AMERICA FOR AMERICANS AND AMERICANS

MCKINLEY AND WILSON ABROAD.

In 1890 William McKinley was burned in effigy in the English manufacturing city of Sheffield; but in 1894 William L. Wilson was dined and wined in London because he is the author of a Free-trade Tariff Bill. These are significant facts.

ACCORDING to Dunn's Agency there were 13,855 failures in the United States last year and 1,856 in Canada. Liabilities in the United States were \$172,000,000 and in Canada \$17,616,215. Can't Brother MARSH once more trot out his figures showing about 10,000 failures in one year under a Republican Administration?

WOULDN'T this Tariff war be stopped by abolishing all Tariffs and allowing consumers to purchase in the cheapest and sell in the best markets? What has trade to do with that? What would be tied up hand and foot? For whose benefit is the tying up done? Not the consumers, certainly—Corington Commonwealth.

Now you're shootin', old man! Let's do away with the Tariff altogether. What a glorious thing it will be to have American mechanics working for Chinese and Italian wages and living on macaroni and rats. As for the few hundred millions of dollars that the Tariff produces yearly for the support of the Government, the Democratic Free-trade Editors will gladly make up that small sum out of their own plump pockets.

Right you are, LAUREL JAY, and you are hereby created Chief Engineer of the Millennium!

INSTEAD of opening to this country "the markets of the world," and "leaving down the Chinese wall" that kept trade out of the United States it now looks very much like the new Democratic Free-trade Tariff Bill.

Bill was going to close all important European ports against American products, and that the Democratic Administration at Washington will be forced to close all American ports to European products.

Austria is the last country to protest against that part of the sugar schedule of the Wilson Bill which imposes an additional duty of one-tenth of one per cent. on sugar coming to the United States from countries which pay an export bounty on it.

The ground taken by the Austrian Minister was similar to that which formed the basis of the protest of Germany—that the additional duty paid discriminates against Austria, and is consequently a violation of the treaty of commerce with the Nation. So far no threat of retaliation accompanied the protest, but in this the Austrian representative is but following the example set by the German Minister, and the next step will undoubtedly be in the same direction, namely, the imposition of some restriction upon an American product that is imported in quantities into Austria.

The four great sources of our sugar supply, outside of the small proportion contributed by Louisiana, are Cuba, Germany, France and Austria. With three of these great countries we are already at odds over the sugar duty, and in the case of France there are already indications of the adoption of a retaliatory policy in the imposition of restrictions upon our meat, wheat and flour.

This whole subject was under discussion by the Cabinet, and as far as can be gathered the outcome was that if Congress fails to come to the relief of the Executive by the removal of the duty which is supposed to cause the trouble, then resort must be had to retaliation which will either open European countries to our exports or close our own ports to all European products.

May be when sick

you have never taken Brown's Iron Bitters? You have, perhaps, read the advertisements and testimonials, but never thought much about it.

Brown's Iron Bitters

will make you strong and well. Your energy and ambition will return, and perfect health will follow. You will feel better at once and gain strength rapidly.

Dyspepsia, Constipation, Debility, Malaria, Liver and Kidney Complaints.

This remedy acts wonderfully in these complaints and will undoubtedly cure. Will you try it?

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If you need spectacles or eye glasses, don't have them fitted in the old haphazard way by any one who may have them for sale. Consult us. We examine your eyes scientifically and make the glasses to fit. We can give you the names of hundreds from our prescription book who have been successfully fitted by our method who never had glasses to suit them before. We guarantee satisfaction in every case, and make no charge for fitting. Ballewger, Baltimore.

Speaker Crisp took the floor and said that the democratic party in congress has kept its pledges. It has reformed the tariff, repelled the federal election law and practiced economy in appropriate ways. The party has been successful in matters affecting currency and finance.

The secretary of the treasury has formulated a bill. The question is can the party agree upon something this short of a bill. He believes that a bill should be had, that congress should be called to the call of the treasury and of the country. He then offered a resolution that the members support the Carlisle bill substantially as presented in the House.

Speaker Crisp took the floor and opposed the Carlisle bill as a repudiation of the time-honored principles of the democratic party.

In reply to a question he said he was willing to go back to the democratic doctrine of coining both metals and abolishing the ten per cent tax on state banks. Mr. Bland added in conclusion that he was willing to accept the dictation of the secretary of the treasury in this matter.

Mr. Springer, in supporting the resolution, said in part:

"The democratic president has done the best in his message.

"It has been prepared after careful study and investigation by the democratic secretary of the treasury, Mr. Carlisle, a gentleman whose abilities are not excelled by any man in this country. He has been called to administer the treasury department has been as able as that of any of his predecessors."

"We do not claim," said he, "that we are bringing about a financial millennium, but in securing a sound and stable financial system, we will do that, that, if this bill is passed, it will bring all our friends and furnish the people of the United States, a sound, sufficient and flexible currency, will meet the wants of trade and commerce, and give stability both home and confidence throughout the world to our financial system."

Mr. Springer concluded his remarks and then spoke with his colleagues.

Several members desired to submit questions, and to those he tried to answer, then his time was extended several times.

Mr. Sperry, of Connecticut, advocated the bill introduced by Mr. Bland last week which provides for the funding of the legal tenders and the issuance of a low interest bearing bond. He then moved that the pending resolution be so amended as to read that it is the sense of the committee that the bill introduced by Mr. Bland be passed by the Senate.

Mr. Terry, of Arkansas, offered an amendment authorizing each state treasurer to buy silver bullion sufficient in amount to coin a dollar for every inhabitant of the state, to be coined in the United States mint, the latter to coin it into silver dollars and in turn present it to the state treasurer.

Mr. Crisp demanded the previous question on the resolution introduced by him and the amendments.

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